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GOMEZ BAIL PLACED AT \$1,000,000 EXTRA SESSION CONGRESS APRIL 16

\$200,000 HOTEL FOR BRAINERD

Reported Five Story Brick and Concrete Building to be Erected Soon by Jared S. Elting

Henry Biakeley, General Freight Agent Northern Pacific At St. Paul, Authority for Statement

Brainerd is to have a \$200,000 five-story hotel.

It is to be of brick and concrete and built soon to fill the crying need in Brainerd for more hotel service.

It is to be a metropolitan structure, vying with anything of its size in the Twin Cities and still more firmly clinching Brainerd's boast of being the best convention city in Central Minnesota.

Jared S. Elting is to be the prime figure in its construction.

Information as to the hotel, cost and size and builder, came from Henry Biakeley, of the general freight department of the Northern Pacific Railway company, stationed at St. Paul, who addressed an inquiry to railway officials here.

A. L. Hoffman was interviewed, as many think his lots on the corner of Sixth and Laurel an ideal location for a hotel. He had heard rumors, but could give out nothing definite.

In the meantime it is an indication anyway that the time is ripe in Brainerd for a big expansion, big business and good times in general.

Address Germany on Yarrowdale Prisoners

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—The state department has addressed two inquiries about the release of the American Yarrowdale prisoners and the detention of four American consuls in Germany.

SEES GRAVE MENACE TO UNITED STATES

Washington, March 9.—Information has reached the government from a semi-official source that through the perfection of a powerful wireless telegraph plant in Mexico City direct communication between the Mexican capital and Germany has been established.

Officials realize that, if confirmed, this news is of great importance and an investigation has been ordered.

Through connection by Mexico City with the land telegraphs leading into the United States, Germany would be able to secure complete exemption from the censorship which now is imposed upon its communications by the American government at the wireless stations at Sayville and Tuckerton and by the British and French governments in their control of the Atlantic cables.

Far-reaching possibilities thus would be opened for the violation of American neutrality or even the menacing of the national safety in the critical situation existing.

COMMISSION HAS NO FUNDS

Federal Trade Body Cannot Conduct Food Cost Probe.

Washington, March 9.—Lack of funds will prevent the federal trade commission from undertaking the food cost investigation ordered by President Wilson.

Failure of congress to give the commission \$50,000 asked as a deficiency appropriation, it was said, will make it impossible for the commission to start any new work. The commission had hoped to begin the investigation despite congress' refusal to appropriate \$400,000 required to make the complete inquiry. The commission is so badly handicapped by lack of money it probably will be forced to dismiss a part of its staff.

BELIEVE GERMANS HAD CLANDESTINE WIRELESS STATION

Rio de Janeiro, March 9.—It is believed the Germans had a clandestine wireless station in operation on the Brazilian coast on February 8th, at which time a battle between German and British warships took place off the north coast of Brazil, and flashes of big guns and their roar were reported. The Germans soon afterward circulated a detailed story of the battle, while the British consul and the Brazilian officials claim they had no information of the event. A week later the crew of the British cruiser Glasgow confirmed the story.

It is puzzling them how the Germans got the information first.

Argentine's Plan Concerted Action Meets Opposition

(By United Press)

Buenos Aires, March 9.—The plan of Argentine for concerted action through unity with the Latin American republics for European peace, is encountering opposition from Chile. The Santiago papers announce that the Argentine-Peruvian combination is hostile to Chile and have demanded an alliance with Columbia in retaliation. Much comment has been apparently raised in Santiago but is declared untrue here.

China not Join Entente Actively in Case of Break

(By United Press)

Tokio, March 9.—Although the severance of diplomatic relations between Germany and China seems inevitable it is thought here that there is little possibility of China actively joining the entente. China is awaiting developments here and at Washington. Japanese pressure is being brought to prevent China actually entering the war as it would jeopardize Japanese interests to have China have a seat at the peace table.

BIG BOOST IN COAL PRICES

Cost at Mouth of Pit Jumped 50 to 100 Per Cent.

Chicago, March 9.—Operators of coal mines are asking greatly enhanced prices for their product, even of their biggest customers, including the railroads.

In instances the price at the pit mouth is 100 per cent more than a year ago. None of the advances so far reported run under 50 per cent.

There is no shortage of coal at the mines, it is said, and experts estimate that the underground supply is sufficient to last the country 2,500 years. The car shortage, however, has adversely affected production during the last year.

GENERAL MAUDE.

Led British Troops Who Recaptured Kut-El-Amara.



Photo by American Press Association.

All England is ringing with the praises of General Frederick Stanley Maude, who recaptured from the Turks the Mesopotamian town of Kut-El-Amara, on the Tigris, the scene of General Townshend's surrender on April 28, 1916, with 9,000 men. The present movement of the British against the Turks began Dec. 13. General Maude saw active service before the present war in the Soudan and South Africa.

BERLIN MOURNS ZEPPELIN DEATH

(By United Press)

Berlin, March 9.—Officials and public joined in mourning the death of Count Zeppelin. The preliminary funeral arrangements give Charlottenberg as the place for the funeral. Special mourning services are being held this afternoon.

EXTRA! BULLETINS

PRESIDENT WILSON
WILL CALL CONGRESS
IN SESSION APR. 16

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—President Wilson will call an extraordinary session of congress for April 16.

It has been decided definitely that he has the power to arm merchant ships without an authorizing act of congress.

PLACE GOMEZ BAIL AT MILLION DOLLARS

Havana, Cuba, March 9.—Bail for General Gomez, the captured rebel leader, has been placed at \$1,000,000 and has not been furnished.

TWO PILLSBURY FLOUR MILLS CLOSE TODAY

Minneapolis, March 9.—Two of the Pillsbury flour mills closed today on account of the car shortage. Others are likely to follow unless the railroads furnish relief.

WOMEN WILL STAGE PARADE TOMORROW

Chicago, March 9.—Women claim that they will stage a gigantic parade tomorrow, protesting the high cost of food, despite the refusal of the police to sanction the movement.

EXPRESSED INTENTION ENDING QUARANTINE AMERICAN PRISONERS

Washington, March 9.—The state department has a message from the American ambassador in Spain which verified Germany's previously expressed intention of ending the quarantine of the American Yarrowdale prisoners and releasing them.

COUNT ZEPPELIN.

Builder of First Practical Dirigible Balloon Is Dead.



London, March 9.—Count Ferdinand Zeppelin, builder of the first practical dirigible balloon, died at Charlottenburg, near Berlin. Death was due to pneumonia. He was seventy-nine years old.

Emperor William recently proclaimed Count Zeppelin to be "the greatest German of the Twentieth century." As a token of appreciation he conferred upon him the exalted Order of the Black Eagle, the highest honor in the emperor's power.

RESOLUTION ASKED SESSION MARCH 26

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—Senator McLean, of Connecticut, has offered a resolution asking for the calling of an extraordinary session of congress for March 26.

Wilson's Illness is not Improved Callers Forbidden

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—President Wilson has been ordered to remain in bed by his physician, and callers, unless of the most urgent nature, are forbidden. The cabinet meeting has been cancelled.

Aviator is Killed Suicide Suspected

(By United Press)

Tokio, March 9.—Lieut. Swada, military aviator, was grounded and killed and an investigation is in progress to discover if he took this means to commit suicide.

Will not Repeat Labor Disputes

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—Labor disputes that rent England and France a year ago will not be repeated in this country. The executive council of the American Federation of Labor gave assurances that the purposes of the council was to create good will between the government and labor.

American Marines Land at Santiago Without Loss Life

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—The American marines landed at Santiago, Cuba, without the loss of life or injury. The navy department announced. The Cuban governor requested the landing.

LOOKS GOOD FOR MINING IN CITY

Brainerd-Cuyuna Mine on South 6th Street has Given Two Options, One Sale and Other Royalty

Miners from the North Range Arriving in Brainerd Looking for Homes, Another Shaft Down Soon

PICTURES AMERICA AS GLEEFUL BENEFICIARY EUROPEAN DEATH BED

(By United Press)

Berlin, March 9.—Picturing America as the gleeful beneficiary at the death bed of European civilization the Berliner Tagblatt editorially assailed President Wilson, calling attention to his abrupt change of front since December 8th and his speech at the inaugural ceremonies.

Senator Stone Says he Never Explains what he says or Does

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—"I never explain what I say or do in the senate on great public questions," Senator Stone told the United Press in denying he would resign the foreign relations committee. He refused all comment saying he was issuing printed copies of his speech with a few remarks.

Stone will be Renominated by Steering Com.

(By United Press)

Washington, March 9.—Senator Lewis, the majority whip, told the United Press that Senator Stone will be renominated as chairman of the foreign relations committee by the democratic steering committee when the executive session to select officials is held.

Prominent Democrat Drops Dead in Store

(By United Press)

Galena, Kansas, March 9.—William Sapp, democratic national committeeman from Kansas since 1908, died last night from heart failure. He was stricken in a drug store and death resulted 15 minutes later. Mr. Sapp was known by the Prince Albert coat and stiff hat he always wore.

GERMANY DENIES REPORT CEASED MAKE ZEPPELINS

(By United Press)

Berlin, March 9.—High officials vigorously deny that Germany has ceased making Zeppelins on account of a reported lack of material or workmen. There is a mild small pox scare here, there being a few cases but many vaccinations.

Biscuit President Dies.

New York, March 7.—Adolphus Williamson Green, president of the National Biscuit company since 1905, died here after a long illness. He was seventy-four years old. Mr. Green was a native of Boston. He organized the National Biscuit company.

Mining may be resumed any minute at the Brainerd-Cuyuna mine on South Sixth street, a mile from the postoffice.

It is reliably reported the company has given a power in the mining world two options, one of a sale of equipment, etc., at \$80,000 with a royalty for ore mined, and the other of a complete sale of all interests in the property at \$250,000.

Miners from the north range at Crosby are arriving in the city looking for houses and flats. Two applied to P. B. Nettleton.

There is another report to the effect that work on an additional shaft is soon to be commenced on the property.

F. A. Farrar, a prominent official of the Brainerd-Cuyuna Mining Co., is at Duluth attending a meeting of the company and no information could be gained substantiating the rumors mentioned above. It is earnestly hoped that the rosy conditions pictured will all come true as many Brainerd people made investments in the mine and are interested in the final negotiations.

DECLARES ENGLAND IS FACING FAMINE

London, March 9.—More drastic restrictions in imports were predicted by Edward Carson, first lord of the admiralty, in a speech at the Aldwych club, in saying the people's food is really threatened.

The cabinet minister took a sharp fling at amateur strategists. "Disregard those who are impatient and ready to gamble," he said, referring to suggestion as to use of England's navy. "We cannot afford to gamble with the fleet. If we failed it would mean the end of the British empire."

"I am neither a pessimist nor a coward, but we must face the facts and not allow the public to be suddenly confronted with a situation they had not anticipated, because remedies conceived in panic lead to revolution. England will fight and endure, despite German methods."

DRYS SEE NATIONAL VICTORY

Anti-Saloon League Committee Reviews Success in Congress.

Washington, March 9.—The national legislative committee of the Anti-Saloon league of America, discussing the work of congress, said:

"The year 1917 will be memorable in prohibition annals. The supreme court decision Jan. 8, sustaining the Webb-Kenyon act, was a challenge to the nation to destroy the liquor traffic as a menace to the public welfare. Congress responded immediately and enacted prohibition for Porto Rico, Alaska and the District of Columbia, the anti-advertising and the bone dry acts; additional legislation for Indians and provided \$10,000 extra for the anti-alcohol congress.

"Nothing but threatening war prevented a vote on the resolution for national prohibition. Final victory is in sight."

WOMAN ASSESSED DAMAGES

Must Pay \$10,000 for Alienating Man's Love.

Paris, Ill., March 9.—A jury in the circuit court here awarded Mrs. Mertie Smith \$10,000 damages against Mrs. Cora Clark Carmen for alienating the affections of her husband, Charles Smith. Several jurors on the first ballot favored awarding the full amount demanded by the plaintiff, \$50,000, but later agreed to the \$10,000 verdict.

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March 8, maximum 38 above, minimum 22 above.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Both phones, Northwest 74, Automatic 274.

Al Zoerb, of Aitkin, was in the city.

M. D. Stoner went to Deerwood this afternoon.

For spring water phone 264. Miss Betty Johnson, of Loerch, was shopping in the city today.

Erling Hirstad, Ironton contractor, was in Brainerd today.

John Hessel, a former townsman, was in Brainerd Thursday.

Mons Mahlum has returned from a business trip to Underwood.

Will Walker came from Bemidji to see the basketball game tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Winter and children are visiting in Minneapolis.

The St. Paul train was late this afternoon, arriving at 3:30 o'clock.

C. W. Hilton, expert Piano Tuner, phone evenings 692-M-2.

L. O. Kelaven went to the range this afternoon on insurance business.

Charles Solberg, of Manganese, was in Brainerd on business matters.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson, Northeast Whiteley avenue, is very sick at her home.

J. P. Saunders, of Backus, prominent hotel man there, was in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Quinlivan, of Deerwood, were Brainerd visitors on Friday.

Services next Sunday evening at the Swedish Baptist church will be in the English language.

John Mahlum, secretary of the Mahlum Lumber Co., was at Pine River on company business.

Nettleton loans money on homes.

Louis Melvin Schulstad, of Minneapolis, was entertained at dinner at the Ransford by J. A. Silvertsen.

Mrs. Sarah E. Denham, a deputy of the Royal Neighbors, was in the city and left Thursday for Bemidji.

Oranges 15c a dozen, and fresh Eggs 33c a dozen, at Turcotte Bros.

J. H. Phillips, of Ayresville, Iowa, and son, have removed here and will live on the Nubbe place in Daggett Brook.

The W. T. Larrabee new restaurant is installing fixtures and furniture and the grand opening is set for next week.

Charles Wallace, employed by the Northern Pacific Railway company, died this morning of pneumonia at a local hospital.

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Miss Frances Siegel went to Minneapolis today where she will purchase a spring stock of hats for the Hitch millinery.

Mr. and Mrs. Burfeind, of Lake City, guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cass, have returned home.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Ide left Friday for Iowa to attend the golden wedding of the doctor's parents. They will be gone about ten days.

H. E. Whitlock, minor, son of E. S. Whitlock, injured in an accident at the shops, effected a settlement with the Northern Pacific railway at \$75.

Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Jamieson went to Rochester this afternoon where the doctor will be operated on for appendicitis. He had a very bad attack Thursday.

Get acquainted with the people who ought to buy your property. They are anxious to find you—meet them "half-way" in the Dispatch want ad column advertising.

E. J. Olson is temporarily taking the place of James Templeton as bookkeeper at Swift's. Mr. Templeton is quarantined for a time, smallpox of a relative causing him to stay home.

Headquarters for Kimball Pianos, wholesale and retail, Kimball Piano Branch, 717 Laurel street.

Thursday was a warm day in Brainerd. The government thermometer registered 38 above as the maximum and 22 above as the minimum. A trace of snow fell at 1:20 today.

P. W. Donovan, of the Longyear Exploration Co., of Minneapolis, is in the city. The company is reported to have the contract to sink a shaft on Pittsburg Steel Ore Co. lands near the pit.

Harry Mahl, for some time with the Tri-State in Brainerd, went to Duluth Thursday and after a short visit there will go to Chicago to enter the employ of the Automatic Electric Co.

At Brainerd to see the Bemidji-Brainerd basketball game tonight are Wm. C. Deering, who will officiate as referee, and Prof. P. N. Haughteln, superintendent of the Crosby high school.

Attorney G. S. Swanson has returned from St. Paul where he attended the tonnage tax hearing and made a spirited fight against the bill in company with other Brainerd opponents of the measure.

The Chamber of Commerce has started the issue of a "Community Bulletin," No. 1, Volume 1 being dated March 5. Plans for the future, dates of meetings and a brief outline of activities may be found in the Bulletin.

Test the Dispatch want ad way of selling real estate. It means placing your property on the market. It means winning for it the interest, attention and analysis of buyers of real estate. If your property will stand the test—if it is of good value—advertising in the Dispatch want ad column will pay.

The plan to hold monthly Market Days for the benefit of merchants and farmers alike, is meeting with approval. A free auction for the farmers, actual bargains in merchandise by the progressive merchants, free lunch at noon at the Chamber of Commerce and cultivation of the get-together spirit, are among the practical features of these Market Days. The first one will be held early in April, the weather and condition of the roads permitting.

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It is always safe to learn even from our enemies, never safe to instruct even our friends.—Colton.

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BEST THEATRE

TODAY—Ethel Clayton in
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TOMORROW—Dorothy Gish in
"Children of the Feud"

EMPRESS THEATRE

TODAY—Mutual, in Five Parts

"Whispering Smith"

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Crow Wing Co.,
Meeting Held March 6th, 1917

Pursuant to adjournment, the board met in the court house in the city of Brainerd at 10 o'clock A. M., March 6th, 1917.

All members were present. The minutes of the meeting held on February 6th were read and duly approved.

The following applications were received and recommended to the Minnesota Tax Commission for approval:

The E. J. Longyear company for the cancellation of taxes on a drill outfit assessed in the village of Ironton, account taxes paid on same in the town of Oak Lawn.

Paul G. Clarkson, for a reduction in the valuation of his personal property in the city of Brainerd.

John Olson Engen, for a reduction in the valuation of his personal property in the city of Brainerd.

Mrs. J. E. Mattson, for a correction in the assessment of her personal property in the village of Ironton.

M. B. Ellingson, for a correction in the assessment of his personal property in the village of Ironton.

Mrs. Nettie Johnson, for a correction in the assessment of her personal property in the city of Brainerd.

C. Katz, for a correction in the assessment of his personal property in the city of Brainerd.

Ella B. Borden, for a reduction in the valuation of that part of the SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, north of the creek in Sec. 12, Twp. 44, Rge. 28.

W. R. Heron, for a correction of the assessment against lot 1, Sec. 2, Twp. 133, Rge. 29.

Edw. C. Henderson for a reduction in the valuation of lot 2, SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and the NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 36, Twp. 43, Rge. 32.

Wm. C. Robinson and the Clinton Company, for a reduction in the valuation of the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 10, Twp. 46, Rge. 29.

The following applications were declined:

Carl Dandrea, for a reduction of the assessment of moneys and credits in the village of Ironton.

Parker-Kellogg Lumber company, for a reduction of the valuation of personal property in the city of Brainerd.

P. M. Kelly, for a reduction in the assessment against lot 4, block 9, Swartz's addition to the city of Brainerd.

Oscar W. Peterson, for a correction in the assessment against lot 5, block 2, Crosby Beach.

No action was taken on the Biwango Mining company application for the cancellation of personal property taxes in the town of Nokay Lake and the village of Ironton.

The board adjourned for the noon hour.

Board met at 2 o'clock P. M., all members present.

A delegation of citizens from the village of Pequot, interested in the route of state road No. 7 through that village, appeared before the board and explained the merits of their respective routes. It was moved and seconded that the road be built over what is known as the east route along the section lines. Motion carried.

The bond of the First State Bank of Barrows as depository of county funds, in amount \$10,000 with H. C. Wall, J. M. Amonson, O. G. Olson, O. Nelson and John Wall as sureties was received and, on motion, the same was approved.

John Peaslee was appointed assessor of the First Assessment District for the ensuing year.

An application was received from Gustav Halvorsen for insurance on the new county jail building. On motion, the same was ordered placed on file with the other applications.

The reports of the county officers covering fees received for the calendar year 1916 were read and duly approved.

A communication was received from Representative C. H. Warner of Aitkin, in reference to a bill which he intends to introduce if satisfactory to the people of Crow Wing county, which bill provides for the detaching of fractional Sec. 31, Twp. 44, Rge. 27 from Aitkin county and attaching the same to Crow Wing county, also the detaching of fractional Sec. 36, Twp. 136, Rge. 25 from Crow Wing county and attaching the same to Aitkin county. The board could find no objection to the passage of such a bill.

A plat of Pardee's tracts being the platting of lot 1 and part of lot 2, Sec. 34, Twp. 136, Rge. 28 was presented by Louis Knutson and, on motion, the same was approved.

A petition was received from Albin B. Bloom and others for the establishment of a state road beginning on state road No. 2 at the west one quarter corner of Sec. 39, Twp. 45, Rge. 29, thence running in a northeasterly direction, terminating at the northeast corner of Sec. 17, Twp. 46, Rge. 29 there connecting with the Riveron-Ironton road. On motion, the petition was accepted and ordered filed with the petition received some time ago for the establishment of a state road running south from the starting point mentioned in the above petition, it being the sense of the board that the two petitions will be acted upon at some future time.

Robert Potter, the tenant of the county farm, appeared before the board and explained the deplorable condition of the drainage thereof. On motion, the board decided to investigate the condition of the farm property, the date for such investigation to be set later.

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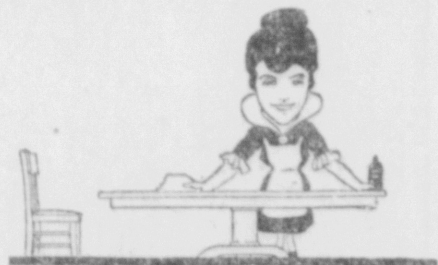
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Varied Program to be Given at Elks Hall at 3 O'clock This Saturday Afternoon

Mrs. John A. Evert will be the hostess at the Brainerd Musical club program at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at Elks hall. Miss Adah Nash, sister of Mrs. Evert, and a pianist of Pipestone, will play, assisted by Geo. Patterson, of Edgerton, violinist.

The program follows:
"Polish National Dance"—Scharwenka
Mr. Patterson

(a) "Prelude"—Rachmaninoff
(b) "Sextette from Lucia di Lamermoor"—Leschetzky
(Left hand only)
Miss Nash

"Thais Meditation"—Massenet
Mr. Patterson

(a) "What the Brook Babbles"—Poldini
(b) "Concert Etude"—MacDowell
Miss Nash

"Broken Melody"—Bienes
Mr. Patterson

(a) "Hungarian Dance"—MacDowell
(b) "Liebstraume"—Liszt
Miss Nash

"Garden Melody"—Schumann
Mr. Patterson

"Ballade"—Chopin
Miss Nash

(a) "Fantasia from Ben Bolt"—Da'e Maine
(b) "Cavatina"—Raff
Mr. Patterson

"EnRoute"—Godard
Miss Nash

"Souvenir"—Drdla
Mr. Patterson

Home Baking Sale

The Peace-Makers, a class of young ladies of the Methodist Sunday school, will hold a home-baking sale tomorrow, Saturday afternoon, at Brockway & Parker's grocery store.

TESTING SUBMARINES.

It is an Easier Task Now Than It Was a Few Years Ago.

Vessels built to navigate under water require particular care in their construction, for when they are submerged they have to withstand the pressure of water from all sides without showing the slightest leak.

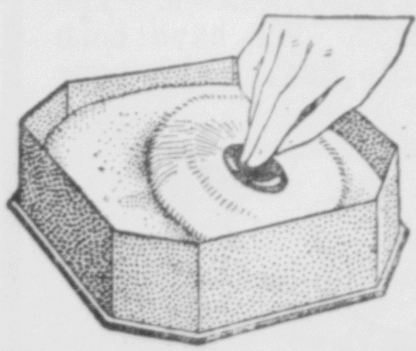
The newest submarines must be able to sink to a depth of 150 feet or more. At such a depth the pressure is tremendous, and if the joints are not perfect water squirts in as though through a hose pipe. Ten years ago testing a new submarine was a dangerous job. She might not be watertight. Her balance might not be perfect, or, again, the air system might not be equal to blowing out the water from her tanks.

Terrible accidents have occurred in testing new under water boats during actual submergence, but today all that is a thing of the past. A testing dock is used, which was invented by an Italian engineer, Major Laurenti. It is a huge cylinder, into which the submarine is floated. A caisson at the end is closed and hermetically sealed. The cylinder is built so as to stand tremendous pressure, and pressure is slowly applied until it equals something far greater than the submarine herself will ever be called on to endure.

The men inside are in communication with those outside by means of telephone, so that if anything goes wrong the trial can at once cease.—Pearson's Weekly.

Paradoxical.

"The truth lies somewhere."
"Strange conduct, that, for the truth."—Baltimore American.



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NISSWA

Mrs. Frank Payne left Tuesday for a few days' visit with friends in Brainerd.

Mr. Lum came to his cottage for an outing Wednesday. His guests came Saturday.

Miss Loretta Murray spent Friday night and Saturday with Miss Hill. Mrs. Wm. Murray entertained at a dinner party on Saturday evening in honor of Miss Michaelson and Miss Hill. Covers were laid for six.

The band began practice in the Swartz hall Saturday evening.

There is a large skating rink cleared now on Nisswa lake.

Frank Payne is working in the paper mill at Brainerd.

Donald Dalley was obliged to shave before going to see nice young lady on Friday evening, and therefore could hardly play at band practice Saturday night because his chin was sore.

A carload of ties was switched into Nisswa. Now Earl and Don have something to do.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson drove over from Gull lake Saturday and got a large load of provisions.

Mr. Scranton hauled straw from Murray's last week.

Mr. Motl and Mr. Quinn were looking over the state road again Friday.

Mr. Henderson hauled feed from the station two days last week.

Mr. Henke went to Pequot Tuesday on business.

Oscar Harrison is able to resume his daily walks to the postoffice.

Alvin Henke was in town Tuesday for dental torture.

The county engineer and men have returned to complete some work.

UNGROUND GRAIN BREAD.

It Saves Labor and Waste and Gains in Nutritive Value.

One reason advanced for the high cost of food abroad is the shortage in manual labor, a result of the war. An ingenious method of dispensing with a large part of this, hitherto considered necessary before the grain in the field can appear in the form of bread upon the table, has been invented in Italy.

According to Agricoltura Toscana an excellent bread, not only highly nutritious, but delicious in flavor and appetizing of taste, is made from wheat which has never been milled.

It is important that the grain should be of good quality and free from foreign material. It is first carefully washed and sifted and then placed in tepid water to soak for a period of from forty-eight to sixty hours, according to the degree of hardness. At the end of this time it has become "vitalized"—i. e., it has begun to germinate, and has therefore become quite soft and tender and has undergone profound chemical modifications.

When the proper degree of vitalization has been attained the grain is fed directly into a kneading machine, where it is triturated and kneaded till it is ready to be molded into loaves. It is then allowed to ferment, or "rise," for the proper length of time, whereupon it is placed in the baker's oven.

The bread is gray in color and, being made of the whole grain, is much richer in food value than bread from flour, containing a higher percentage of mineral salts, lecithin and vegetable peptin. There is a saving not only in manual labor, but in wastage, so that a given weight of grain yields a considerably larger number of loaves when unground than when converted into flour. Another advantage is that there is less risk of adulteration than when flour is used.

Mouth Wash.

Dr. A. B. Wadsworth, director of the division of laboratories and research of the New York state department of health, recommends a mouth wash made as follows:

Sodium chloride, half a dram; sodium bicarbonate, ten grains; distilled water, two ounces; glycerin, one ounce; alcohol, five ounces; thymol and menthol, one gram of each; oil of wintergreen, three drops; oil of cinnamon, two drops; oil of eucalyptus, five drops; tincture of eucalyptus, one and a half drams; tincture of rhodanth, half a dram.

Dissolve the salts in water before adding the alcohol. For use add an equal part of water.

Oldest Infantry Regiment.

Which is the oldest existing infantry line regiment in the world? The distinction is held by the Royal Scots, who have been nicknamed "Pondus Pilate's bodyguard." They were raised in 1525 for the service of Sweden in the thirty years' war, passed into the service of France after the death of Gustavus Adolphus and were presented by Louis XIV. to Charles II. on the restoration.—London Answers.

One Kind of Thrift.

"Why do you give your little son only a penny at a time?"

"I'm trying to encourage thrift and economy. He knows that he'll have to save five before he'll have enough money to buy a movie ticket."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

BACK YARD TO BLOOM LIKE ROSE

Practical Plan to Reduce the High Cost of Living Proposed by City Development Com.

FLOW AND SEED VACANT LOTS

Owners Asked to List Same With the Committee Who Will Assist in Seeding and Planting

Here's a practical plan whereby an uppercut blow can be delivered to a vital point in the anatomy of Mr. High Cost of Living. The city development committee of the Chamber of Commerce of which R. B. Withington is chairman, proposes to have every vacant lot in Brainerd and its suburbs under cultivation this year and instead of a crop of weeds, garden truck and flower beds to grace the same.

Here is the scheme: Owners of vacant lots who are willing to list the same with the committee, and permit the lots to be plowed and seeded to vegetables and garden truck are urged to advise the secretary of the Chamber at once. Lots will be listed and persons who are desirous of securing a garden spot will be afforded the opportunity. The lots will be plowed, the committee to assist in this where possible, seed put in and the persons to whom the lot is assigned, reap the benefit of his labors.

The secretary has secured a quantity of garden seeds from Washington and these will be distributed free of charge and additional seeds will be furnished by the committee. It is not proposed to furnish all the seeds necessary to plant the lots, by any means, but people who can not afford to buy seed will be assisted as far as the committee finds it possible.

It is further recommended that every back yard be made to "blossom like a rose," with pretty flower beds which will add to the attractiveness of the home surroundings and will afford material argument in sustaining our claims for "Brainerd the City Beautiful."

Now for the list of lots; every public spirited man or woman who has a vacant lot they will not use, is urged to list the same with the committee at once. The free use of the lot is desired and of course this will be subject to sale in every case. Once the list is completed or on the way, lots will be assigned to parties who will agree to cultivate them properly, keep the weeds down and make an earnest effort to grow a successful garden thereon.

Parties who desire such garden tracts are invited to send in their names to the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and designate what garden seeds they wish. Seeds will be given out only to those who agree to cultivate these lots. Now, all together, and "DO IT NOW."

The Use of Candy.

Pure candy is good for children. Pure sugar is good for grown people. Of course there are exceptions to every rule. If the doctor prescribes a diet and orders a patient to refrain from sweets the patient is bound to obey his adviser. What is the use of calling a physician and paying him for suggestions if the latter are treated with indifference? People in ordinary health need not be afraid to gratify an appetite which craves sweets. Those who have looked into the matter have been telling us lately that soldiers on the march hold out better if they have rations of sugar than if their food omits this useful commodity. A fondness for sugar is often a defense against the temptation to use alcoholic stimulants. The inebriate does not care very much about pure sweets.

Hush! A Garter Purse.

If you are addicted to the bad habit of carrying your valuables and money with you wherever you go you should provide yourself with one of the new garter purses. They are made of two pockets, one large for jewels the other small for money, and both attached to straps to buckle tightly around the leg below the knee. They come in all shades of satin.

Grippe!

It is a winter plague which claims thousands every season.

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Fashions For Spring



THIS BUTTERFLY.

Exquisite in its simplicity is this evening gown of black velvet draped with a spangled net. Callot is securing butterflies to her frocks as her hallmark, so this gown has a rhinestone butterfly on the corsage. The sublimity of rhinestones graces the train.

Unkind.

She—What do you suppose Harold meant by sending me those flowers? Also She—He probably meant to imply that you were a dead one.—Jack O' Lantern.



CLASS LEADER.

The interesting sleeves, the hand embroidered pockets, the jaunty tie with its buckle, make this a well high ideal model for schoolgirls.

Not Identified.

Teacher—When did Horatius hold the bridge? Pupil—Nobody of that name has given any bridge parties in our neighborhood for several years.—Puck.

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The 1st ticket will draw 1 100 lb. Bag Sugar.
The 2nd ticket will draw 1 98 lb. Sack Fancy Patent Flour.
The 3rd ticket will draw 1 Box Lenox Soap.
The 4th ticket will draw 20 lbs. Blue Ribbon Steel Cut Coffee.
The 5th ticket will draw 1 Premium Ham.
The 6th ticket will draw 1 Slab Premium Bacon.
The 7th ticket will draw 5 lbs. Blue Ribbon Japan Tea.

If your grocer does not handle BLUE RIBBON TEA AND COFFEE, phone N. W. 140, and we will advise you from what stores you can purchase same.

The Brainerd Wholesale Grocery Co.

Oranges for Health

For the sake of health, let Orange Day, March 10, be the day that your family begins to eat Oranges at every meal.

This live, fresh fruit increases the "efficiency" of all the other foods. And it does it partly through luscious flavor, which coaxes the digestive juices. Delicious Navel Oranges are more than a once-a-week food. Serve them every day. Keep a dish of Oranges always where the children can reach them when they want something to eat between meals.

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BRAINERD AND THE ORE TAX

We reprint herewith an item which appeared in the editorial columns of the St. Paul Pioneer Press, on the 8th inst. Evidently, this editorial was inspired by the pamphlet published and distributed by the Chamber of Commerce outlining some of the many reasons for our opposition to the "super-tax." If the attention the Cuyuna has received generally from the newspapers of the state is any criterion, the justice in our position is prevaillingly recognized and our stand is endorsed:

If the proposed tax of 2 per cent on iron ore is aimed at the United States Steel corporation—an assumption made and challenged—then the Cuyuna range interests demand to know why they should be included in the "punishment." The Brainerd Chamber of Commerce is making a vigorous attack upon the pending measure, branding it as fundamentally wrong, with no reason behind it, and supported by the excuse of a selfish act that the loss will be borne by the "iron kings" alone.

Two points are made by Brainerd, and if they are not unchallengeable, at least they are interesting. The first one takes the ground that if this unjust and discriminating tax is levied, the proceeds should not go into the state fund, but into the treasury of the county where the property is assessed, giving the state its lawful percentage. Local losses inflicted by the gross earnings system of railway taxation are cited in support of this contention.

The second point is that if such a tax is levied it should be levied upon the ore alone, and not after its value has been raised by the addition of labor and other expenses. The prospective output of the Cuyuna range for the season is two million tons, which Brainerd estimates at a value of \$500,000 in the mine and \$4,000,000 at the mouth of the mine with labor and overhead charges. Why, it asks, should the tax be laid upon the \$3,500,000 paid for labor and other charges?

Brainerd also claims that the proposition is unjust discrimination against the Cuyuna range, because of the difference in the quality of ore and the mining cost. It appraises Mesabi ore at a value of \$1 a ton in the mine, but cheapened at the mouth

of the mine by higher quality, absence of objectionable ingredients and relative ease of mining.

This may be special pleading by Brainerd, though it is appealing. But the fundamental question is whether the proposed tax is in accordance with the law and principle of uniformity and equality of taxation.

MUNICIPAL REFORMS

We have given much publicity in our columns to the city manager plan of government, and we have noted with great satisfaction the many favorable comments we have received for disseminating this information. The rate of adoption and the spreading of this form of government throughout the United States is one of the most surprising events in municipal reforms. We have seen and heard much about the manager plan being urged also for county government and for state government. As usual it devolved upon the state of Kansas to again jump into the lead, and in the editorial columns of the St. Paul Daily News we read the following statement:

A STATE MANAGER

The first state to have its institutions conducted on a strictly business and nonpartisan basis will be Kansas. Gov. Arthur Capper has signed the state manager bill, and a nonpartisan board of administration will soon appoint a manager to take charge of all state institutions now bossed by political boards. The manager also will be purchasing agent for the state.

Kansas expects greater economy and more efficiency in the management of all state institutions. The manager is to be picked irrespective of political affiliations or business associations. He will be held accountable for every cent spent, the way it is spent and what the state gets for it.

This state manager idea is an enlargement of the city manager plan of government. Everyone interested in good government will watch Kansas more closely in the future.

The St. Cloud Times takes this fall out of Brainerd because some one beat them to it on the spring crow story, not the Old Crow that is offered for sale in St. Cloud, but the birds that fly in the spring:

A Brainerd lady saw a crow on the 6th inst. We have heard of Brainerd men who saw "snakes" in January.

A rule has been established by the postmaster general calling for a civil service examination of all postmasters—and the democratic legislators in Washington are up in arms fearing that the rule will bar some of the faithful from the positions.

The Walker Pilot man is advertising that region as a summer resort and says that Leech lake was free from ice on the 28th day of April in 1916, but that they "will be driving over it this year on the ice the 4th of July."

"The Kaiser's Dozen" is the name applied to the twelve filibuster senators who blocked legislation at a critical time in the history of this country.

Felt Like 90, Now Like 21

Like a weak link in a chain, a weak organ enfeeblies the whole body. Weak kidneys lower vitality. A. W. Morgan, Angola, La., writes: "I suffered with pains in the back. I am 43 years old, but I felt like a man of 90. Since I took Foley Kidney Pills I feel like I did when I was 21." 50c and \$1.00 sizes. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

THREE SENATORS OPPOSE CHANGE

Upper House Places Curb on Unlimited Debate.

WILL ARM MERCHANT SHIPS

President Wilson Is Expected to Announce Such a Step Soon and Also Issue a Proclamation Calling Congress Into Extra Session.

Washington, March 9.—By a vote of 76 to 3 nays the senate of the United States placed a curb upon unlimited debate.

This action will be followed almost immediately, first, by an announcement by the president that he proposes to arm American merchantmen, and, second, by the issuance of a proclamation calling congress into extra session in the course of the next few weeks.

The vote of the senate constitutes a vindication of the president and at the same time a condemnation of the filibuster on the armed neutrality bill. Foreign ambassadors assert that Europe would believe the senate now, as well as the house, is behind the president and that all suggestions that the American government was divided would be dissipated.

Here are the names of the three senators who voted against the amendment to the rule under which two-thirds of the senate can fix a time for a vote:

Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin; Asle J. Gronna of North Dakota, and Lawrence Y. Sherman of Illinois.

La Follette was the leader and general manager of the filibuster conducted against the armed neutrality bill. Senator Gronna assisted him.

Senator Sherman would have voted for the bill, but, as he explained, the rules were undeservedly being made the scapegoat.

What has been done, however, is this: The complete paralysis of government which, as the president pointed out, prevailed as a result of the original rules, no longer exists.

It will not be possible in the future for "a single member" to continue, to quote the president, "to stand in the way of action if he have but the physical endurance."

Resentment of the senate at the attack made by the president on its rules was manifested by the speeches made.

GRAIN STOCKS VERY LOW

German Industrial Centers on Verge of Famine.

London, March 8.—The Prussian food controller, Dr. George Michaelis, made in the Prussian diet what the Koelnische Zeitung calls a serious speech on the food situation, a Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam says.

Dr. Michaelis declared that the distress is such that a more severe state of things, especially in the large industrial centers, hardly can be imagined. He indicated the possibility that all surplus stocks of grain would be exhausted and said that radical measures were needed to enable the people to hold out until next year.

"We have in the third year of the war," the food controller is quoted as saying, "discovered that among all sections of the people the general feeling evinced is not one of that endurance for which we had hoped. This is human nature, but it is highly deplorable and may have most serious results."

TURKEY IS TURNED DOWN

United States Declines to Abrogate Exemption Treaty.

Washington, March 9.—Turkey again has attempted, without success, to secure the consent of the United States to abrogation of the ancient "capitulations," under which foreigners under Turkish rule enjoy extraterritorial rights and are exempt from many peculiarities of Moslem law.

Taking advantage of the state department's plan to transfer to Turkey four American consuls withdrawn from Germany the Ottoman government proposed that a new form of exequatur be issued to them, omitting the right to sit as judges under American law in cases involving Americans and American property. The United States replied that it could not consent to such a change.

WAR COUNCIL IS SCORED

British Commission Reports on Dardanelles Campaign.

London, March 9.—The British war council which decided upon the Dardanelles campaign "failed adequately to investigate the availability of troops with which the joint naval and military attack could be undertaken," according to the report of the commission.

Winston Churchill's advocacy of a purely naval attack was based upon a certain amount of half-hearted, semi-expert opinion, the report continued, "the practicability of which apparently was not directly supported or opposed by such responsible naval and military advisers as Lord Fisher and Sir James Murray." mwf

WOULD REDUCE PAY FOR CARRYING MAIL

Washington, March 9.—Reduction in the compensation paid by the government to the railroads for carrying mail, as readjusted by congress last July, is sought by the postmaster general in a statement filed with the interstate commerce commission.

The postmaster general declares that the present method results in excessive payment.

The commission has fixed May 1 by which time the railroads must file reply.

By congressional action the weight basis of payment was superseded in some instances by the space basis. The arrangement was to be temporary until the commission determined proper methods and rates of payment.

WASHINGTON IS SURPRISED

Trouble at Santiago Presents Difficult Problem.

Washington, March 9.—Word that men from American warships actually had landed at Santiago surprised navy department officials, who had just referred to the state department a request for such action from the Cuban governor. Commander Belknap's last report transmitted the governor's request and asked for instructions.

As the United States government recognizes only the Menocal government the trouble at Santiago presents a difficult problem. The government forces are attacking the city and are opposed by the governor of the province.

A Woman's Experience With Grippe.

When a cough or cold hangs on, and you have aches and pains that are hard to define, it is likely that grippe is taking hold of your system. Mrs. J. A. Rodgers, Switzer, S. C., says: "I am susceptible to colds, often ending in grippe. In this case I have found Foley's Honey and Tar to prevent doctor bills." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf



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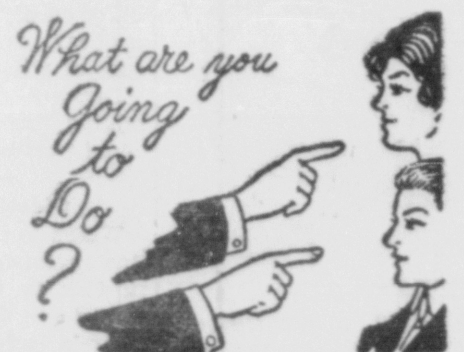
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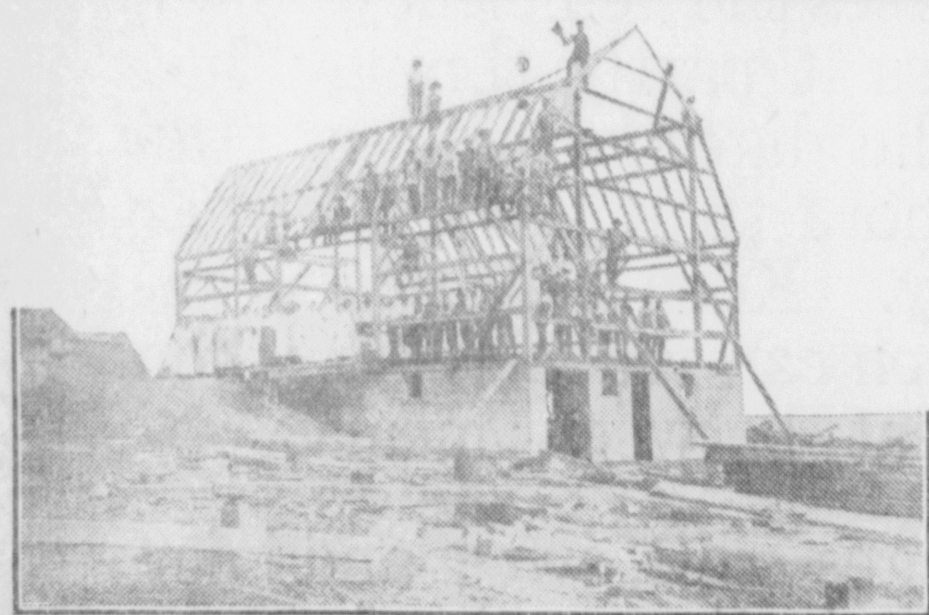


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Farm Labor is Apt to be Very Scarce This Year

Good help has been hard to get for some time, especially during the busiest seasons, and the prospects right now seem to indicate a worse shortage this year.

Why not build that new barn early this spring, and plan it so that your barn work will be reduced to a minimum. You might be able to get along without one farm hand. A great many farmers have done this.

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M. & I. MAY CUT DOORWAY

Council at Special Meeting Rescinds Action of Regular Meeting For-bidding "Open Door"

HARMONIUS RELATIONS AGAIN

Two Additional Rooms Rented Come Under Same Terms of the Gen-eral Lease

The Minnesota & International Railway company may put in its doorway.

A special meeting of the council Thursday evening rescinded the action of the regular meeting Monday night.

All aldermen were present except President Farrar and Aldermen Anderson and Betzold.

Mayor R. A. Beise was present and explained that he had been in tele- phone communication with W. H. Gemmell and an explanatory letter from the latter was read.

On motion of Alderman Peterson, seconded by Alderman Koop, the motion carried to rescind the former action of the council of March 5 hav- ing reference to the adverse vote on the recommendation of the property committee to give permission to the M. & I. to cut in a doorway of a per- manent nature in the partition be- tween the general manager's office and the adjoining room, and that the rental to the M. & I. of the two ad- ditional rooms arranged for at same session, be covered under the same terms as the using of the main offices. The motion carried unanimously and the council adjourned.

PAUL C. OLSON IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Hannah Olson has just re- ceived a telegram that her son Paul C. Olson, single, age 32, switchman of the Chicago Great Western in St. Paul, was hurt in an accident and was not expected to live.

Mrs. Olson and her son, G. B. Ol- son, will leave tonight for St. Paul.

SENIORS IN OLD CLOTHES

New Stunt Surprises the Faculty of the Brainerd High School Today

Seniors of the Brainerd high school had a new stunt today which sur- prised the faculty. Whereas the University of Wisconsin is getting some hard knocks from the legisla- ture because of the over-dressing or lack of dressing at its "proms," the Brainerd seniors dug up all the oldest clothes they could find and proudly wore them to school.

There were dresses and coats of the vintage of 1900, some very tight fitting ones at that. Parents were mystified at the conduct of their sons and daughters, as it was a ver- table old style show.

SHRINERS AT BANQUET

Zurah Temple Brothers Walker and Comstock, Boost for Imperial Council

J. F. Walker and E. F. Comstock, of Minneapolis were in Brainerd to stir up interest in the Imperial Coun- cil meeting of the Shriners at Min- neapolis and at a dinner at the Ramsford attended by twenty-one brother Shriners of Zurah Temple, plans for the big meeting expected to be attended by 400,000 were dis- cussed. Dr. J. O. Wernitz, of Pali- sade, was a guest in attendance.

After the dinner there was an ad- journment to Masonic hall where many Masons were entertained at a smoker and the new Masonic home discussed.

POLITICAL POINTERS

There is nothing new in the local situation regarding city politics to- day excepting the following:

D. A. Peterson denies that he is a candidate for alderman but that his ambition is to be assessor of the city of Brainerd.

John Kreckelberg desires the Dis- patch to say that he is not a candi- date for city assessor, as was stated in a local paper last night, but that his candidacy for city treasurer is progressing finely.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for D. A. Peterson for which the sum of 5 cents per line each issue is to be paid.

FOR ASSESSOR

Having been requested by a num- ber of friends to be in the field for City Assessor at this coming spring election, I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for such office and respectfully solicit your support. 234tf D. A. PETERSON.

WET AND DRY QUESTION UP

Matter of Granting License to be Voted on at April 3 Spring Election

A BIG PETITION WAS FILED

Litigation in United States Supreme Court May Affect Whole Indian Country

The wet and dry question, by peti- tion filed late Thursday afternoon, comes up for the voters' consideration at the April 3 city election, or in more exact language, the question of granting license in Brainerd for the sale of intoxicating liquors will again be considered.

The city of Brainerd voted dry June 19, 1915.

In September, 1915, the county voted wet, that result being attained when Brainerd reversed its vote from dry to wet majority.

Shortly after the Indian lid was applied, and Brainerd, lying in that territory, has been practically bone dry ever since.

There is now pending in the United States supreme court litigation of the John Grand Brewing Co. vs the Great Northern Railway company wherein the brewing company asserts the right to ship beer into Indian country. If successful and Brainerd had in the meantime voted wet, beer would soon be shipped into Brainerd to relieve the drought.

The petition filed in Brainerd cov- ers 18 pages of names and represents all sections of town.

BRAINERD'S ODDEST STORIES OF TODAY

The Morris branch train yesterday afternoon got stuck in five feet of snow eight miles out of Little Falls. The crew shoveled ice and snow, ex- tracted their train and then re- turned to Little Falls.

F. H. Simpson said somebody announced his candidacy for something or other, but failed to specify just what he was running for.

The other day, the make-up man was the cause of a catas- trophe. He mixed up a patent medicine pill ad with Tur- cote's grocery store ad and the way people called at the store and remarked about the ad in- dicated to Wm. Turcote that the ads in the Dispatch are read and change of copy is immed- iately noticed.

There is the story about a lady who sympathized with a friend and considering her lonely sent out a report that she was dead and the way tel- ephone calls came to the first lady's home and flowers and letters indicated she had friends by the score and it kept her busy denying she was departed. 234tf

KEEPING UP WITH COUNTY EDITORS

(Deerwood Times)

J. E. Rackett, a band doctor of Ada, arrived in town Thursday, but when he heard of the musical talent we had here he decided the bands here did not need doctoring.

(Crosby Courier)

W. H. Kruse is the last man on earth for one to ask for a recommend for an oil stove. The pesky things will "run up" and smoke in spite of all the care one gives them. Such an accident happened Sunday when Mr. Kruse placed one in his hen house to keep it warm. Result: thirty-one perfectly good chickens were smoked to death.

(Ironton News)

As shown by the annual statement of the village clerk, the financial standing of the village of Ironton is better now than at any previous period of its existence.

(Deerwood Enterprise)

A bunch of Hamlet Lakera enjoyed skiing on Tennessee's hill Sunday. No. 1 made a ski slide down the hill and across to the point. No. 2 cleared a space for the skating and No. 3 plowed a furrow for the toboggan. John Larson slied with the school ma'ams and Anker Tennessee took the bump off at the bottom of the hill.

Venezuela has a farm for raising herons for plumes.

The light of the sun is 600,000 times greater than the full moon.

BRAINERD MEN WHOLESAL HOUSE

Joseph C. Zimmer, of Brainerd, and Associates Rented Building West Side Little Falls

LIQUOR BUSINESS STATE LICENSE

The Location is What is Known as "The Seven Corners" in Down River Town

Joseph C. Zimmer and associates of Brainerd, have rented a building on the West Side in Little Falls formerly occupied by the Posch sal- loon and will start a wholesale liquor house there.

Wholesale houses are operated under a state license and cannot sell in less than wholesale quantities.

The location is what is known as "The Seven Corners," a landmark easily located.

PLEAD FOR A CHANGE OF VENUE

Ask Trial of Case be Changed From Clearwater to Polk County, Concerns Attorneys Fees

HEARD BY JUDGE McCLENAHAN

Farmers Settled Their Flowage Rights Out of Court, Somebody Must Pay the Lawyer

Judge W. S. McClenahan, of the district court, heard in chambers an application for a change of venue from Clearwater to Polk county of the case of J. A. Hendricks vs Theo- dore Torgerson, et al.

This is a suit for attorneys fees and disbursements, covering the trial of a case tried first before Judge B. F. Wright, then appealed to the state supreme court and while still in litigation, the farmer defendants who had gone to court about their flowage rights it is alleged, settled out of court.

E. E. McDonald, of Bemidji, ap- peared for Torgerson and others, and Attorney J. A. Hendricks, of Crook- ston, for himself as plaintiff.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The senate and house of represen- tatives in session at St. Paul passed the following resolutions at their Monday, March 5th, session on the death of the late C. B. Buckman:

Whereas, Death has called a for- mer member of the House of Represen- tatives, who was also a former mem- ber of the Senate, Clarence B. Buck- man, of Morrison county, who passed away at Battle Creek, Michigan, March 1, 1917, and

Whereas, Clarence B. Buckman was one of the early settlers and pioneers of the upper Mississippi valley, was for many years actively identified with its growth, development, busi- ness activities and politics, serving one term in the state house of rep- resentatives, three terms in the state senate and two terms as member of the congress of the United States, and

Whereas, he had many excellent and commendable qualities which gave him a large circle of warm and steadfast friends and he was a hard, consistent fighter, a generous victor, a game loser, a big-hearted man and loyal citizen, rendering many public services to the people of his district and the state of Minnesota.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved, by the house of representatives, the senate concurring, that we regret and deplore the death of our distinguished fellow citizen, Clarence B. Buck- man, and extend to his widow and family our sympathy and condolence in this their hour of sorrow.

Be it Further Resolved, that an engrossed copy of this resolution, at- tested by the chief clerk of the house and the secretary of the senate, be mailed by the chief clerk of the house to the widow and be spread upon the journals of the house and senate.

Offered by Messrs. L. D. Brown, C. W. Bouck and C. H. Warner. Adopted unanimously by a stand- ing vote of the senate and house of representatives March 5th, 1917.

A Letter That May Interest You N. W. McConnel, Riverdale, Ga., writes: "Foley Cathartic Tablets ab- solutely cleanse my system thorough- ly, and never a gripe, and no nau- sea." An ideal physic, invigorating and strengthening the bowel action and having a good effect on the stom- ach and liver. Give stout persons a light and free feeling. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advrt.

Turn About.

"Papa says if I give up my singing lessons he will present me with a pair of diamond earrings."

"You have never worn earrings, have you?"

"No; I should have to have my ears pierced."

"Ah, yes! I see his idea. He wants to pay you back in your own coin!"

Unkind.

Author—Some of my brightest thoughts come when I am asleep. Ed- itor—Your great trouble is insomnia.—New York Times.

REASONS FOR DEFEATING BILL

Arguments Against Tonnage Tax Advanced in Brief Printed by Chamber of Commerce

CIRCULATED AT THE SENATE

Brainerd Chamber of Commerce As- serts that the Independents Would Bear the Burden

A summary of reasons for the de- feat of the tonnage tax bill is con- tained in a pamphlet just issued by the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, the brief having been written by Judge A. D. Polk. The pamphlet emphasizes the harm that would be done to Cuyuna range operators, all of whom are independents.

"We must read far back into his- tory—to the days of absolute mon- archies—to find where one class of property or one class of business or one class or race of people is marked out to carry the tax burdens of oth- ers," is one assertion made, "and we beg of you (the legislature) in be- half of ourselves and the whole state that you make no modern pre- cedent in this state of Minnesota.

"It is urged by the friends of the bill this loss will be borne by the 'iron kings' and not by the people of this state. This is not a reason, it is but an excuse for the doing of a selfish act. Any act that is funda- mentally wrong has no reason for its existence.

"It is fallacy 'that the 'iron kings' will bear the loss' too apparent to the man of experience or who thinks to the bottom of the things. Every commodity of general use has its price in the markets of the world, and every original owner can find his own price by subtracting the in- termediate costs and profits; and every intermediate burden will make a place for itself at the top or bot- tom, or both; and every exceptional and local burden finds no sympathy or place in the markets and makes a place for itself at the bottom.

"It is too evident that the law was framed and is pressed with the view to meet values and conditions on the Mesaba range, with which many leg- islators are familiar and that in do- ing so a gross injustice is done to our range. This, if true, and is true, is ample reason for defeating this bill. The United States steel corpora- tion does not own or operate a sin- gle mine on our range, but we do not urge that as a reason why we should be favored. We do not be- lieve that such a reason would ap- peal to a lawmaker who wished to enact a law that would cast the bur- den of taxation on all taxable prop- erty throughout the state, according to its value without fear, favoritism or prejudice."

NOTICE MEMBERS BRAINERD TOBOGGAN CLUB

A meeting will be held at the "warning house" 7:30 P. M. Friday, March 9th. The presence of all members is requested.

I. C. STROUT, Sec'y. Treas.

NOTICE M. W. OF A.

You are specially urged to attend the meeting this evening as constitu- tional amendments are to be consid- ered.

L. T. NOGGLE, Clerk.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for L. T. Noggle for which the sum of 1 cent per line each issue is to be paid.

FOR TREASURER

I hereby announce my candidacy for City Treasurer at the coming election.

L. T. NOGGLE.

"There are some ugly features in ev- ery business."

"Well, I'll bet photography holds the record for 'em."—Baltimore American

Hurrah! How's This

Cincinnati authority says corns dry up and lift out with fingers.

Hospital records show that every time you cut a corn you invite lock jaw or blood poison, which is needles- says a Cincinnati authority, who tells you that a quarter ounce of a drug called freezone can be obtained at lit- tle cost from the drug store but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You simply apply a few drops of freezone on a tender, aching corn and soreness is instantly relieved. Short- ly the entire corn can be lifted out root and all, without pain.

This drug is sticky but dries at once and is claimed to just shrivel up any corn without inflaming or even irri- tating the surrounding tissue or skin. If your wife wears high heels she will be glad to know of this.



Why Not Have The First Choice

The new suits are now coming in daily. It is your privilege to have the first selection. Styles are fully determined and suit weather is fast approaching. Come in and see the new styles and the new colorings.

H. F. MICHAEL CO.

"The Bird of Paradise"

Richard Walton Tully's play of the Southern seas, "The Bird of Pa- radise," will appear at the Brainerd Opera house Saturday evening, March 17.

When shown here last it impress- ed large audiences by its novelty and fervor of plot and its startling real- ism as to Hawaiian scenery which never before had been put on the stage with such fidelity. The infor- mation regarding our Southern Pa- cific Island possessions are given forth in this piece almost encyclope- dia in its terseness. The manners and customs of the natives were given a more truthful exposition. As to the configuration of the country, near and remote from the cities and settlements, the scenery employed, that is to say what theatrical folks call "the production," is the most faithful of its kind.

Oliver Morosco has reinforced the picturesque features to which the subject of the play lends itself and practically rebuilt many of the big moments, notably the immense clos- ing scene in which the unhappy her-

For 30 Days Only!

Special Sale on Forks

Overstocked in Forks, we have made a below cost figure on the whole outfit and farmers and others buying now will

SAVE MONEY

3 Time Hay Forks.....43c	5 Time Manure Plain Forks 85c
4 Time Hay Forks.....58c	5 Time Manure Strap Forks \$1
4 Time Manure Forks.....70c	6 Time Manure Plain Forks 95c
6 Time Manure Strap Forks \$1.10	

D. M. CLARK & CO.

BRAINERD

MINNESOTA

oine of the story casts herself head- long into the fiery crater of Kilauea, Hawaii's terrible volcano.

This year the part of Luana, the pathetically lovely savage of Pele, is played by Miss Olin Field, who, it is claimed, is peculiarly suited to the part. Others in the cast are Forrest Stanley, as Dr. Wilson; David Lan-

dau, as the beach-comber, and a score of others, including the origi- nal troupe of native Hawaiian singers and players, whose performances ap- propriately enliven the action of the piece.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY



Which is Your Style?

You can answer the question in a very few minutes if you'll stop in and try on a few of the newest Spring blocks. The soft hats have the "call," you can choose a derbie if you prefer, for Spring stocks are "full up" right now.

Shirts---Neckwear

When shirts and ties like ours get together there's sure to be a lot of wearing pleasure for any man, for we have been very particular that their colors harmonize. The shirts are fast col- or and properly made of silks, mixtures and cottons. The ties won't twist out of shape when you knot them—they slip easy, too.

We're Ready For the Boy's

This Spring's clothes for boys are certainly good looking. The youngsters will like them because they're styles taken from the men's models—parents will look at the clothes—the clothes and the price, and be satisfied, too.

New Location

Bye & Peterson

616 Front Street

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Brainerd, Minn.

WANTS

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Good kitchen girl at Windsor hotel. 541-2351f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 1011 Kingwood. 542-2361f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Mrs. Walter Wieland, No. 1 Bluff Ave. 511-2271f

WANTED—2 girls to work in restaurant at Woodrow. Apply Peterson Construction Co. office, Woodrow. 532-2331f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two rooms at 917 Grove St. 536-2341f

FOR RENT—House at 209 Main street. Apply on premises. 530-2321f

FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with baths, at 917 Grove St. 536-2341f

FOR RENT—Steam heated furnished rooms for one or two at the Mahlum block. 537-2351f

FOR RENT—Two nice pleasant rooms with hot and cold water and bath. Enquire 502 Fifth street south. 517-2281f

FOR RENT—Pleasant sleeping or light housekeeping rooms. Bath, telephone. 206 Kingwood. 533-2331f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One Underwood typewriter, 1 protectograph. Inquire C. M. Patek & Son. 538-2351f

FOR SALE—At a bargain, our Studebaker delivery truck. Turcotte Bros. 528-2321f

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE—My 7-passenger 6 cylinder Studebaker machine, must be sold at once. Inquire at C. M. Patek & Son. 539-2351f

FOR SALE—Six room house and 50 foot lot 124 2nd Ave. Electric lights, sewer connections and other modern conveniences. Inquire at premises. 522-2301f

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM AND BOARD—815 North Main street. N. W. Phone 530-L. 540-2351p

WORK WANTED by young lady. Experienced in store work. Call 272-R. 512-2271f

WANTED—To list houses and vacant lots for sale; good prospects ahead. Nettleton. 531-2321f

WANTED—I have customers for residence property and vacant lots. List your property for sale with Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block.

WANTED—500 cords rock at once. Will pay \$7 cord for rock delivered at Northwest Paper Co. dam at Brainerd before March 20, 1917. 534-2331f

DON'T SUFFER WITH NEURALGIA

Musterole Gives Delicious Comfort

When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little Musterole on the temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain, usually giving quick relief.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister.

Many doctors and nurses frankly recommend Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). It is always dependable.



PIMPPLY? WELL, DON'T BE! People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, the bowels and the liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel—there's never any sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating. No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result. Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

SPORT NEWS

FAST CROSBY BALL TEAM

Fans of Crosby are figuring on one of the fastest amateur baseball teams in the state this season. Many of the old players are in town and several new ones are willing to try out.

A meeting will be called soon to arrange for finances and elect officers. Baseball matters in Crosby are handled by the Crosby Athletic association, which was organized last summer, when one of the finest athletic fields in the northwest was fenced in and a \$500 grandstand built.

St. Paul Grabbed the Big Fights

Minneapolis, Minn., March 9.—Reassured by the action of the Minnesota legislature in refusing to repeal legalized boxing, interests here today announced they would erect a huge auditorium, built especially for the fight game. St. Paul having been better equipped when legalized boxing was inaugurated two years ago, has grabbed off the majority of the big fights. Its auditorium seats 10,000, while the largest available fight arena in Minneapolis seats 3,000.

ATHLETICS BALL CAMP ROSTER

Here is the roster of the Philadelphia Athletics ball camp:

Pitchers—Myers, Nabor, J. Johnson, E. Johnson, Schauer, Hill, Horn, Anderson, Noyes, Adams, Parnham, Smith, Bush, Naylor, McAllister.

Catchers—Haly, Meyer, Picinich, Schang.

Infielders—McInnis, Lawry, Grover, Witt, Bates, Rowe.

Outfielders—Strunk, Thrasher.

Training Camp—Jacksonville, Fla. Manager—Connie Mack.

HUNDREDS OF GERMANS GOING TO MEXICO.

New York, March 9.—The Mexican consulate general in New York is issuing passports to Germans at the rate of more than 100 a day.
Four hundred Germans have applied for and received passports this week.
Most of those now emigrating to Mexico, it is said, go by rail through San Antonio, Tex., although many are going through El Paso, Eagle Pass and other points along the border, west of Laredo.

NEW ANGLE IN THAW CASE

Attorneys Object to New York State Being Represented.

New York, March 9.—Refusal of attorneys who are seeking to have Harry K. Thaw adjudged insane to allow representatives of the state of New York to be present at the examination into Thaw's sanity in Philadelphia next Monday has resulted in an appeal by District Attorney Swann to Governor Brumbaugh of Pennsylvania.

The district attorney said he realized if Thaw is adjudged insane "the matter of the people of New York versus Harry K. Thaw will be settled for all time."

RUSH TO PAY TAXES IS CAUSE OF RIOT.

Chicago, March 9.—Policemen were necessary to quell disorder in the city collector's office due to the rush to pay special assessment taxes.

A dozen women fainted and the officers and attendants found difficulty in getting through the crowds and to open windows, where the fresh air revived them.

Bonus to Miners Increased.

Kellogg, Ida., March 9.—The Bunker Hill and Sullivan Mining company, the largest employer of labor in the Couer d'Alene region, announced that effective March 1 the bonus paid to workmen would be increased 25 cents a day, making a total bonus of \$1.25 a day. This will be paid as long as the price of lead remains above \$7.50, the announcement said.

Senators Are Censured.

St. Paul, March 9.—One vote—that of Representative F. G. Strand, Socialist member from Two Harbors—was cast in the Minnesota house of representatives against the H. H. Harrison resolution criticising the United States senators who conducted the filibuster against President Wilson's armed neutrality bill.

B. H. S. BASKETBALL

(By E. J. G.)

The Bemidji quintet arrived in Brainerd at noon today accompanied by quite a delegation of rooters. The Bemidji boys say they are in the best of condition for tonight's game and judging from all outward appearances they certainly are.

They are going to slip one over on Brainerd high school and if they can't beat them they are going to put up such a stiff game that the B. H. S. "K. A. U." will be able to tell they have gone through some kind of a basketball game. That is the theory advanced by Bemidji enthusiasts.

If all is true Brainerd is sure in for it tonight. A big speedy basketball game, all the "trimmings" and the last game Brainerd high school will play on home "soil."

The 130 pounders are to play their return game at Royaltown tonight, having gone to that city this afternoon.

Come up and see the 1917 boys of the B. H. S. in their final appearance in Brainerd. Tickets may be purchased from members of the first squad and some of the other enthusiastic basketball boosters. Don't forget the place—high school gymnasium—the time 7:45, and the girl whoever she may be.

Recruits Flocking to Army.

Washington, March 9.—Recruiting during February resulted in 4,852 men being added to the regular army, the war department announced. Officers view the results as highly satisfactory, and indicating that the army can be brought to its authorized strength before June 10.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, March 8.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.97½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.96½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.90½@1.94½. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.90½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.
South St. Paul, March 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,100; steers, \$5.85@10.25; cows and heifers, \$5.50@10.25; calves, \$5.50@10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; range, \$13.90@14.25. Sheep—Receipts 150; lambs, \$11.00@13.75; ewes, \$8.00@10.50.

St. Paul Grain.
St. Paul, March 8.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$2.07½@2.09½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.97½@2.07½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.95½@2.03½; No. 2 Montana hard, \$1.98½@2.00½; corn, \$1.04½@1.06½; oats, \$0.58½@0.59½; barley, 97c@1.24; rye, \$1.52@1.53; flax, \$2.94½.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, March 8.—Wheat—May, \$1.88½; July, \$1.59; Sept., \$1.47. Corn—May, \$1.08½; July, \$1.08; Sept., \$1.07. Oats—May, \$0.59½; July, \$0.57½. Pork—May, \$33.15; July, \$32.40. Butter—Creameries, 38¢@40¢. Eggs—29½¢@27½¢. Poultry—Springs and fowls, 20½¢.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, March 8.—Wheat—May, \$1.89½; July, \$1.78½; Sept., \$1.50. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$2.07½@2.09½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.97½@2.04½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.95½@2.03½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.87½@1.97½; No. 3 yellow corn, \$1.04½@1.06½; No. 3 white oats, 57½¢@59½¢; flax, \$2.94½.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,600; steers, \$5.40@12.25; cows and heifers, \$5.60@10.45; calves, \$8.50@11.75. Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; light, \$14.10@14.80; mixed, \$14.30@14.95; heavy, \$14.30@14.95; rough, \$14.30@14.45; pigs, \$11.25@13.65. Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; native, \$10.00@12.35; lambs, \$12.25@15.00.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, March 7.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$15.75; No. 1 timothy, \$15.00@15.75; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$13.50@14.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$13.50@14.25; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$12.50@13.25; choice upland, \$13.50; No. 1 upland, \$12.50@13.25; No. 1 midland, \$10.00@10.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$18.00@18.75.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Adv't.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

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7 and running south on the center line of sections 7 and 18 to the one quarter corner on the south side of Sec. 18, also for a road beginning at the north one quarter corner of Sec. 7 and running east on the section line to the northeast corner of Sec. 7. On motion, the matter was referred to the county engineer.

The following bills were allowed:

C. L. Mott, salary and expenses as Co. engineer.....\$151.96

J. D. Schlenker, assistant in survey state road No. 7.....66.00

K. J. Smith, assistant in survey state road No. 7.....60.00

Frank Payne, assistant in survey state road No. 7.....20.00

A. W. Leonard, assistant in survey state road No. 7.....79.58

W. R. Anderson, boarding survey crew.....51.25

Standard Oil Co., road and bridge material......65

W. E. Lewis, scraper.....5.50

Ernest Persson, scraper.....5.50

T. G. Dykeman, scraper.....5.25

Jas. Ingram, blue prints ditch No. 15.....25.81

H. D. Keath, assistant in survey ditch No. 15 (2 bills).....185.12

Fred H. Hoyer, assistant in survey ditch No. 15 (2 bills).....117.05

Frank Mickelson, assistant in survey ditch No. 15 (2 bills).....23.00

W. H. Andrews, viewers in ditch No. 15.....63.12

G. S. McCulloch, viewer in ditch No. 15.....56.89

J. M. Lambert, viewer in ditch No. 15.....55.39

Dower Lumber Co., road supplies.....3.95

Geo. White, labor at court house.....1.00

Slipp-Gruenhagen Co., miscellaneous supplies.....20.80

D. M. Clark & Co., miscellaneous supplies.....9.95

Mahlum Lumber Co., coal for court house and jail.....239.74

Geo. D. Barnard & Co., tax receipts.....158.00

Lewis F. Dow Co., leather tabs Security Blank Book & Pig. Co. blanks and supplies (6 bills).....40.20

Kimball-Storer Co., blanks and supplies (2 bills).....60.40

Crosby Crucible, blanks.....14.35

Brainerd Dispatch, publishing and supplies.....21.81

Brainerd Tribune, blanks.....11.50

Brainerd Publishing Co., publishing.....77.98

Claus A. Theorin, boarding prisoners.....25.20

Claus A. Theorin, expenses as sheriff (4 bills).....33.81

J. D. Gile, expenses as deputy sheriff.....3.00

Ole Benson, livery for sheriff.....8.00

August Swanson, expenses as mining engineer.....21.11

C. A. Nelson, coroner's fees (2 bills).....10.20

Town of Oak Lawn, one half expenses contagious diseases.....48.13

Henry McCarthy, witness fees state cases, municipal court Brainerd.....4.04

P. L. Berge, witness fees state cases, municipal court, Brainerd.....1.12

Julius Mahl, witness fees state cases municipal court Brainerd.....1.12

Cora A. Carel, taking testimony state cases, Brainerd.....6.60

O. E. Lovdahl, taking testimony state cases Crosby.....3.00

Olson Skau, justice fees, justice court.....4.65

Farmers' Twp. Mutual Ins. Co., Ins. Asst. Co. farm buildings.....2.50

Northwestern Tel. Ex. Co., rental for March.....20.00

Tri-State Telephone & Telegraph Co., rental for Feb.....6.00

Water & Light Board, current for court house and jail January and February.....36.35

Water & Light Board, water rental court house and jail.....25.00

First National bank, Brainerd, rental of judge's chambers, February.....24.00

W. A. M. Johnston, services on board of audit.....12.00

Edward Crust, services on board of audit.....12.00

C. W. Mahlum, services on board of audit.....12.00

J. A. Erickson, per diem and mileage (2 bills).....11.00

L. Mathison, per diem and mileage.....5.80

Wm. A. Syreen, per diem and mileage.....8.60

F. S. Walker, per diem and mileage.....8.60

mileage.....8.60
Edward Crust, per diem and mileage.....8.60
On motion, the board adjourned until March 17th, 1917, at one o'clock P. M.

C. W. MAHLUM,
County Auditor.

AMERICANS ARE LANDED IN CUBA

Four Hundred Men Go Ashore at Santiago.

PECULIAR SITUATION EXISTS

Rebels Are in Control of the City and Government Forces Are Planning an Attack—Cane Fields and Sugar Mill Ten Miles Away Are Burning.

Santiago, Cuba, March 9.—Four hundred men from American warships have landed and taken charge in Santiago. The cane fields and the Union Sugar mill at San Luis, ten miles north of Santiago, are burning. The people of San Luis are greatly alarmed and have built barricades in the streets, expecting an attack from the rebels.

The Americans were landed from the mine layer San Francisco, the cruiser Olympia, the gunboat Petrel and the gunboat Machias.

The people of Santiago have regained confidence since the landing of the Americans. There has been no fighting here, as a result of the arrival of the American guards.

Heavy fighting is reported in the vicinity of Palma Soriano. Many civilians are leaving the city to join the constitutional army.

Former President Jose Miguel Gomez, head of the Liberal revolutionary movement in Cuba, is a prisoner in the Presidio, while the members of his staff, among them Colonel Quiñones, his chief lieutenant in the field, are behind the walls of Fort Cabanas.

Some New Uses For Yeast.

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COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

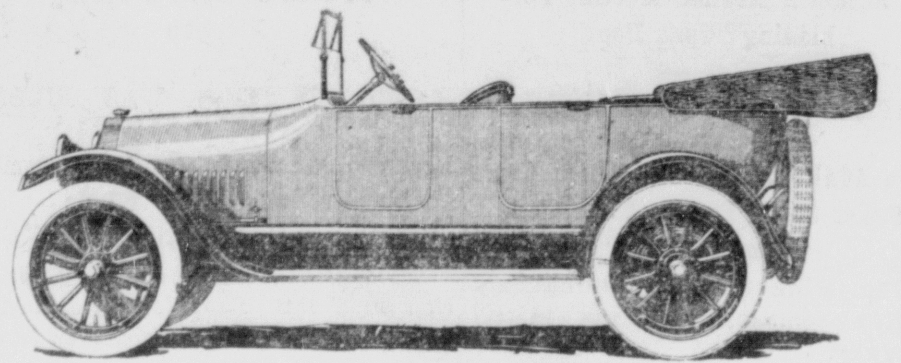
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Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant.

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